

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Demetrius BAGLEY, et al.

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Title: ARTICULATING STONE BASKET

Examiner: Melissa K. RYCKMAN

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated September 16, 2008, for which a response was due on December 16, 2008. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to February 16, 2009. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.